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Simultaneous serial transmission of messages with bit-arbitrated selection of the numerically largest or smallest value in the messages' data fields

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